mentation of the scheme of the Allotment of House-sites-cum-Construction Assistance to Landless Rural Labourers in Madhya Pradesh during the year 1985-86, 1986-87 and in the current year is as follows:—

(Rs. in Lakhs)

	Amount allocated	Amount spent
1985-86 . . .	506.00	536.11
1986-87 . . .	525.00	564.75
1987-88 . . .	600.00	235.50 (upto June, 1987)

(b) From 1985-86 to 1987-88 (Upto June, '87) 1,26,104 landless families were allotted house sites and construction assistance was provided to 55,114 such families in Madhya Pradesh.

(c) There is no such proposal to augment allocation from the Government of Madhya Pradesh.

Land to houseless urban poor in Madhya Pradesh

4179. SHRI AJIT P. K. JOGI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total acres of land which has been distributed to the houseless urban Land (Ceiling and Regulation) Act, 1976 in the State of Madhya Pradesh since the Act came into force;

(b) what portion of the aforesaid has been distributed to the houseless urban poor and how many urban poor families have been benefited; and

(c) what steps Government propose to take to ensure that large number of poor houseless families are benefited by the proper implementation of Urban Land Ceiling Laws?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Appointment to the post of Chief Engineer (Foods) in Delhi Administration

4180. SHRI J. P. GOYAL: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry of Water Resources had advertised the post of Chief Engnieer (Floods) under the Delhi Administration in January, 1986;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Delhi Administration had forwarded a panel of 4 Superintending Engineers;

(c) whether it is also a fact that the Cabinet Committee on Appointment had approved one name out of this panel in April 1987;

(d) whether the person approved by the Cabinet Committee has since been appointed to the post;

(e) if so, what are the particulars in this regard; and

(f) if not, the reasons for which the person approved by the Cabinet Committee has not yet been appointed and by when the said appointment is likely to be made?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI G. S. DHILLON): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) to (f) The proposal for appointment of an officer out of the panel sent by the Delhi Administration against the post of Chief Engineer (Irrigation and Flood Control) is under consideration of the Government and as soon as a final decision is taken, formal orders of appointment will be issued.